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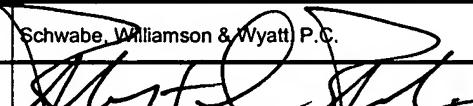
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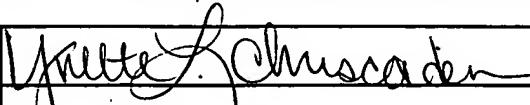
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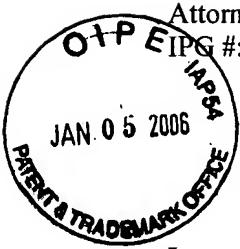
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Reconsideration of the captioned application in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.